

## SPECIAL EVENTS

### *Conference Lunch*

12:00 p.m. Monday @ Hilton Myrtle Beach Resort

### *Conference Reception*

6 p.m. Monday @ Hilton Myrtle Beach Resort



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## 2017

## ANNUAL

## PUBLIC DEFENDER

## CONFERENCE

SEPTEMBER 25-27, 2017

HILTON MYRTLE BEACH RESORT  
AT KINGSTON PLANTATION

MYRTLE BEACH, SC

# AGENDA

## MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 2017

8:15 a.m. — 8:30 a.m. .... Registration

8:30 a.m. — 9:30 a.m. .... There's No Gold in the Rule, and We Didn't Go to the Moon: The Application of Psychology for Juror Persuasion

Harry Dest, Esq.  
Circuit Defender  
16th Judicial Circuit

Phil Smith, Esq.  
Public Defender  
16th Judicial Circuit

9:30 a.m. — 10:30 a.m. .... Ethics Hour

Dr. Gregory Adams  
USC School of Law

ETHICS HOUR!

10:30 a.m. — 10:45 a.m. ... Break

10:45-11:00 Awards Presentation

11:00 a.m. — 12:00 p.m. .... Domestic Violence and Equal Protection

Bakari Sellers, Esq. .... Alexandra Benevento, Esq.  
Strom Law Firm, Columbia, SC

12:00 p.m.-1:00 p.m. Conference Luncheon

1:00 p.m.-2:15 p.m. .... Defending Child Sexual Abuse Cases

E. Charles Grose, Esq. Chelsea B. McNeill, Esq.  
The Grose Law Firm Chief Public Defender for  
Greenwood, SC Laurens County

2:15 p.m. — 3:15 p.m. .... Case Law Update

Robert M. Dudek, Esq.  
Chief Appellate Defender

3:15 p.m.—4:00 p.m. .... Justice's Choice

Justice John C. Few  
Supreme Court of South Carolina

4:00 p.m.— 4:15 p.m. .... Break

4:15 p.m. — 5:15 p.m. .... Hammer that Theme: Cross Examination

Henry M. (Hank) Anderson, Jr., Esq.  
Anderson Law Firm

5:15 p.m. .... Adjourn

6:00 p.m. — 8:00 p.m. .... Conference Reception

## TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 2017

9:00 a.m. — 10:00 a.m. .... Disciplinary Counsel

Lesley M. Coggiola, Esq.  
Disciplinary Counsel  
Columbia, SC

ETHICS HOUR!

10:00 a.m. — 11:00 a.m. .... Probate and Competency Issues

Constantine Pournaras, Esq.  
Public Defender, 5th Judicial Circuit

11:00 a.m. — 11:15 a.m. .... Break

11:15 a.m. — 12:15 p.m. ....

Session A: 4th Amendment Issues

Patricia A. Bolen, Esq.  
Fredericksburg Virginia Public  
Defender Office

BREAK-OUT SESSIONS

Session B: Juvenile Human Trafficking Victims

Jen Thompson  
Lighthouse for Life

Session C: Defending Juvenile LWOP Cases

Susan Hackett, Esq. Laura Baer, Esq.  
Office of Appellate Defense

BREAK-OUT SESSIONS

12:15 p.m. — 1:15 p.m. ....

Session A: DUI Defense

James B. Huff, Esq.  
Huff Law Firm  
North Augusta, SC

Session B: Defending a Juvenile Sex Offense Case

Alicia Goode, Esq. Tamika Thompson, Esq.  
5th Circuit Public Defender's Office

Session A: A Recipe for Closing Arguments

Aimee Zmroczek, Esq.  
A.J.Z. Law Firm, LLC  
Columbia, SC

1:15 p.m. .... Adjourn

## WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2017

9:00 a.m. — 10:30 a.m. .... Issues in Forensic Fingerprint Examination

John P. Black  
Black & White Forensics  
Olanta, SC

10:30 a.m. — 10:45 a.m. .... Break

10:45 a.m. — 11:45 p.m. .... PPP Update

Matthew Buchanan, Esq.  
Probation, Pardon & Parole  
Columbia, SC

11:45 a.m. — 12:45 p.m. .... SCDC Update

Christina C. Bigelow, Esq.  
S.C. Dept. of Corrections  
Columbia, SC

12:45 p.m. .... Adjourn